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REMARKS

Examiner Clarke and the Applicants' representative discussed the pending application on March 2, 2005. During that phone conversation, the Examiner requested that the Applicants submit a new Abstract. Attached herewith is a new Abstract. In addition, the Applicants would like to thank Examiner Clarke for indicating that new claim 4 added in the amendment filed with the USPTO on January 6, 2005 would be entered.

The Examiner is requested to call the undersigned attorney at (202) 496-7500 if she has any further questions. All correspondence should continue to be sent to the below-listed address.

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